

General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on Program Review and Investigations

Introduced by: (PRI)

AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM REVIEW AND INVESTIGATIONS COMMITTEE CONCERNING A PLAN FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT AND SERVICES IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 The Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services, in
- 2 cooperation with the Connecticut Alcohol and Drug Policy Council,
- 3 shall evaluate the need for substance abuse and mental health
- 4 treatment and services in the pretrial and sentenced offender
- 5 population and shall develop a plan to fund and provide such
- 6 treatment and services in correctional facilities and the community.
- 7 The department shall submit the plan to the General Assembly not
- 8 later than January 1, 2002.

PRI Joint Favorable C/R

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